

PROGRESSIVE

NEW BERNE.

A Hotel to Cost About
\$200,000 to be Built.

THIS IS A LIVE TOWN.

There is Plenty of Money in Circulation and Everything is Moving Forward.

(Staff Cor. State Chronicle.)

NEW BERNE, N. C., July 2.—Several matters of interest are occupying the minds of New Bernians now. I had hardly arrived in the city before a discussion concerning the proposed new hotel attracted my attention. The fabulous sum realized from trucking has awakened a spirit of enthusiasm and of hopefulness such as is rarely seen.

I was shown to-day by Mayor Manly, to whom I am much indebted for courtesies, an invitation from Bern, Switzerland, to the Mayor of New Bern, requesting him to appoint delegates to attend a great feast or celebration which is to take place there. The invitation expressed a desire to welcome to Bern, (founded in 1190) delegates from New Bern, a city settled by Bernese de Graffenreid, a native of Bern, and also a city named after their own. Rev. L. C. Vass and others who intend going across the water, will probably be appointed delegates to their celebration.

I have been reliably informed that there is a larger volume of money in circulation here now and that money is cheaper than ever known before. Money can easily be obtained at six per cent.

I rode out to view the truck farms yesterday, and the previous idea which I had formed of the immensity of this business was amply sustained. Grapes in the fields grew in clusters and large fields of cantelopes were seen growing on both sides of the road. The trucking business here for this year has amounted to nearly a million dollars.

There is a plan on foot to build a large hotel in this city somewhere along the banks of Neuse river as a pleasure resort, to which people from the North can come to spend the winter. A committee meets to-day to present plans for organizing a company to carry out this move. Let it be strictly a pleasure resort with tennis courts, open and closed, with boating facilities, and other attractions. Pierre Lorillard, Fairman Rogers, of Philadelphia, and other distinguished visitors, have all stated that the climate here is the same as that of lower California. Ice is rarely ever seen here. Trucking is two weeks ahead of Norfolk. The thermometer is never known to go above 97° or below 7°. The health of the city, I am assured by one of its most eminent physicians, is as good as that of Asheville, that a fair comparison of the death rate of New Bern and of Asheville will prove this. Its moderate climate, its good sanitary condition, and its beautiful situation on a broad expanse of water, make it a most favorable place as a winter resort, if only a hotel, with amusements and conveniences, can be built. The excellent hotel which New Bern now has—the hotel Albert—is intended for the traveling public in a business sense strictly, and in this line it is a great success. Hence steps are being taken to build an immense hotel of this character, and in a short time it will be done. I shall visit one or two of the largest truck farms to-morrow, and will tell in my next what I see and hear.

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(By The United Press.)

WASHINGTON July 2.—The President issued a proclamation to-day granting copyright privileges in the United States to Belgium, France, Great Britain and Switzerland.

Iron Workers Strike.

By Cable.

LONDON, July 2.—Several thousand iron workers on the Clyde have struck against a 5 per cent reduction in wages.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTES.

Times and Places, and Conductors For the County Institutes.

Prof. E. A. Alderman and P. P. Claxton.

Madison county, July 13.

Haywood, July 20.

Jackson, July 27.

Swain, August 3.

Graham, August 10.

Cherokee, August 17.

Clay, August 24.

Macon, August 31.

Prof. Alex. Graham and E. L. Hughes.

Cleveland, July 13.

Mecklenburg, July 20.

Gaston, July 27.

Cabarrus, August 3.

Davidson, August 10.

Stanley, August 17.

Montgomery, August 24.

Moore, August 31.

Prof. J. Y. Joyner and E. W. Kennedy.

McDowell, July 13th.

Mitchell, 20th.

Yancey, 27th.

Henderson, August 3rd.

Transylvania, 10th.

Polk, 17th.

Prof. C. D. Melver and Wife.

Lincoln, July 13th.

Buncombe, 20th.

Burke, 27th.

Catawba, August 3d.

Stokes, 10th.

Surry, 17th.

Yadkin, 24th.

Davie, 31st.

Prof. M. C. S. Noble and E. P. Jones.

Wilkes, July 13th.

Alexander, 20th.

Caldwell, 27th.

Watauga, August 3d.

Ashe, 10th.

Alleghany, 17th.

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